

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10:00:15 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 10:00:48 a.m., until 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 13, 2007.

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the

nominations of Robert D. Jamison, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for National Protection and Programs, and W. Ross Ashley III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, both of the Department of Homeland Security, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

House of Representatives

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Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 23 public bills, H.R. 4130–4152; and 5 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 252–253; and H. Res. 814–816 were introduced. **Pages H13521–22**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H13522–23**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 1429, to reauthorize the Head Start Act, to improve program quality, and to expand access (H. Rept. 110–439) and

H. Res. 813, providing for consideration of the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 1429) to reauthorize the Head Start Act, to improve program quality, and to expand access (H. Rept. 110–440); and

H.R. 3915, to amend the Truth in Lending Act to reform consumer mortgage practices and provide accountability for such practices, to establish licensing and registration requirements for residential mortgage originators, to provide certain minimum standards for consumer mortgage loans, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 110–441). **Page H13521**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Salazar to act as Speaker Pro Tempore for today. **Page H13415**

Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a yeas-and-nays vote of 221 yeas to 175 nays with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 1079.

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Motion to Adjourn: Rejected the Baca motion to adjourn by a yeas-and-nays vote of 184 yeas to 204 nays, Roll No. 1080. **Pages H13427–28**

Resignation of General Counsel: Read a letter from General R. Gennet, in which she announced her resignation as General Counsel to the House of Representatives, effective November 12, 2007.

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Temporary Tax Relief Act of 2007: The House passed H.R. 3996, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, by a yeas-and-nays vote of 216 yeas to 193 nays, Roll No. 1081. **Pages H13417–26, H13428–62**

Pursuant to the rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. **Page H13417**

H. Res. 809, the rule providing for consideration of the bill, was agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote of 220 yeas to 185 nays, Roll No. 1078, after agreeing